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Indian Industrial School,

Carlisle, Pa. March 18 1899

Pratt, R. H.,

Captain 10th Cav'y, Supt.

Regards Gleunis Pierce
runaway and return-
ing letter of Elmer
Huff.

True

R. Huff, Mar. 22/99.

[Handwritten signature]

enclosing letter from Elmer Huff of Carlisle, Pa. ...
Mr. Standing, written during my absence, dated Feb. 1st, explaining
in this connection I invite your attention to the letter of
that date no knowledge of his whereabouts.
that the boy had run away from the Fort-Roose about a month ago, and
had been seen him up and then with him home, but received information
at the Fort-Roose of his whereabouts, intending to get possession of the
only advice you had I yesterday communicated with the authorities
Gleunis Pierce, which letter is herewith returned. I have to regret-

Very respectfully,

[Handwritten signature]

Major 1st Cav'y, U.S.A.

(Enclosed) No

Department of the Interior,
INDIAN SCHOOL SERVICE,

Carlisle, Pa., March 18th, 1899.

To the Honorable,

The Commissioner of Indian Affairs,

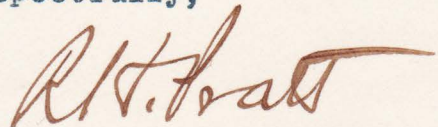
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of the 16th marked "Education, 11950" enclosing letter from Elmer Huff of Onoville, N.Y., concerning Glennie Pierce, which letter is herewith returned, I have to respectfully advise you that I yesterday communicated with the authorities of the Poor House at Harrisburg, intending to get possession of the boy and clean him up and then ship him home, but received information that the boy had run away from the Poor House about a month ago, and they have no knowledge of his whereabouts.

In this connection I invite your attention to the letter of Mr. Standing, written during my absence, dated Feb. 1st, explaining the very bad character of this boy and his frequent escapades from Carlisle.

Very respectfully,



Major 1st Cav'y., Supt.

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